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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 01035.0022-01000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Marc M. Jalisi) Group Art Unit: 3731
Application No.: 10/618,149) Examiner: Uyen T. Ho
Filed: July 10, 2003)
For: MULTILAYER STENT) Confirmation No.: 4067
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed December 15, 2004, the period for response having been extended to June 15, 2005, by the Petition for Extension of Time for three months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please consider the following remarks.

REMARKS

I. Status of the Claims

Claims 39-44 are pending. No claims have been amended by this response.